

## WORST KNOWN IN DECEMBER

### Cold Kills Cattle, Delays Traffic and Causes Much Suffering.

**Lowest December Temperature Ever Recorded Sunday—Nearly Lowest Known—Business Places Close—Slow Relief on Way.**

Burlington, in common with the rest of Vermont, passed through the severest December weather on record Saturday and Sunday, but it was predicted that Monday would begin to see an end of the cold which has caused the death of a considerable amount of livestock, raised havoc with the plumbing of thousands of buildings, delayed trains and caused much suffering throughout the State. Early Sunday morning the weather bureau official thermometer went down to 25 degrees below zero, thus breaking all known records for the month of December. During most of the cold spell a stiff wind prevailed to add to the discomfort.

The cold wave reached Burlington about noon Friday, following a comfortable morning with temperatures in the twenties. By Saturday morning the mercury had dropped to 20 below zero and remained at practically that point all day. During Saturday night there was a further drop to 25 below zero, and the highest point reached Sunday was 12 degrees below zero. All this in the face of a great scarcity of coal.

#### LIVESTOCK PERISHES.

So far as could be learned Sunday night, there was no loss of livestock in Chittenden county for the reason that Chittenden farmers got ready for the drop. South of here in Addison county, however, the loss was heavy. More cattle are raised there than in Chittenden county and a large number of calves perished. Calves are about the most susceptible of any animals to the cold, especially before they are a year old.

No cases of exposure were brought into the local hospitals, but the physicians were called on to attend to a few snow-burns and frost-bitten ears, noses, etc. On Main street an elderly man was found lying in front of the Strong building by some of the theatre help. The thermometer then registered 25 below zero and he was found to have been frozen to death shortly after he was found. He was taken into the building and there restored so he could be sent home in a hack. Two or three people were seen on the street with snow-white noses and didn't know they were frozen until told. Frozen ears were plenty and were mostly of those who were out on short trips for the men who were obliged to stay at work.

Because of the cold the lumber yards as a rule gave up work early in the day Saturday. Only a small number of men reported for work and the concerns took pity on those who did.

#### PLUMBERS AND COAL MEN BUSY.

There was no rest for the plumbers or men in the city. The plumbers were busy all day and the coal men were busy all night and the water department men the same. In a short time Sunday forenoon 18 from meters were reported and the trouble continued all day. This was following a trouble Sunday day. In the other towns around here this trouble was very general, especially in Essex, where nearly everyone had a thawing-out time. The coldest weather in this section was reported from there, where an unofficial source gave the lowest point as 30 below zero. In this city the hydrants stayed in good shape and the only trouble was in meters and pipes. The gas company also had a force at work nearly all the time thawing out gas pipes.

#### TRAINS ALL LATE.

The difficulty in keeping up steam made the trains late all day. The trains were late in this town affected the mails so that most of them were late at least one delivery. The early sleepers yesterday were between three and four hours late and the train from New York due at 1:45 p. m. did not reach here until evening.

#### Central Vermont Ry.

**TIME TABLE IN EFFECT**

**4:15—**a. m. daily for Montreal and Chicago.  
**7:15—**a. m., except Sunday for Boston and Springfield. Buffet parlor car from Burlington with change, due at 4:35 p. m.  
**7:05—**a. m., except Sunday for St. Johnsbury and Portland.  
**10:05—**a. m., except Sunday for St. Albans.  
**10:05—**a. m., Sunday only for St. Albans.  
**11:05—**a. m., daily for Boston and New York; for New London and Portland. Buffet parlor car from Burlington with change, due at 4:35 p. m.  
**11:05—**a. m., Sunday only for St. Albans.  
**1:45—**p. m., except Sunday for St. Albans.  
**4:28—**p. m., except Sunday for St. Johnsbury.  
**4:40—**p. m., except Sunday for St. Albans, Rouses Point, Ogdensburg, Richford and Montreal. Also for Montpelier and White River Junction.  
**6:55—**p. m., daily for Montreal and Chicago. Standard sleeper daily from Montreal and tourist sleeping cars from Essex Jct. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays to Chicago, with change.  
**6:55—**p. m., Sunday only for White River Junction.  
**11:40—**p. m., daily, through sleeping car from Burlington to Boston placed for occupancy at 9:08 a. m. Sleeping car from Essex Jct. to Springfield.  
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## BUILDING RECORD OF YEAR

### High Cost of Materials and Labor Not Serious Obstacles.

**More Done in the Way of New Structures and Additions Than in Any Like Period for Some Time.**

High cost of materials and high cost of labor have had little effect on construction operations in Burlington during the past year, and more has been done in the way of building and enlarging business plants than in several years past. A number of houses have also been erected, among them several costliest. The building permits filed at the city clerk's office show that the city has pretty well caught up with the demand on private garages, as not many have been built during the year, but two of the largest garages in the State have or are being erected for business purposes and they offset, by far the amount which was expended on garages last year. In addition to the demand for mechanics of almost all description at the fort there was work enough for all in Burlington.

#### DELOME SAYS GUILTY.

**Gets Term at House of Correction for Violating Liquor Law.**

Edward Delorme, referred to by another paper as a boy and who has been married for more than ten years, incidentally spending a term for larceny at the house of correction at Rutland, "manfully" shouldered all the responsibility for the liquor violations that took place at his home in the northern part of the city recently, and was sentenced by Judge Joseph T. Stearns to not less than four nor more than six months at hard labor in the house of correction in Rutland. The cases of Frank Prue and Louis Blair, also charged by State's Attorney Martin with having a hand in the liquor violations at Delorme's place, were nolle prosequi as the result of a raid by the police, who had their eyes on the respondents for some time past.

#### FUND EASILY RAISED.

**Navy Relief Society Gets More Than Stipulated \$100,000 in New England.**

The Navy Relief society was successful in raising more than the stipulated \$100,000 for New England before much of the territory in Vermont had been touched, so only a few hundred dollars were secured in this State. Chief Commissioner Steward William McNiff, who had charge of raising the money here, collected about \$200 in Burlington and \$200 in Rutland. In Keene, N. H., he collected \$300 so he turns in about \$600 toward the fund.

#### CHILLY ON THE HUMP.

**Burlington Campers Encounter Arctic Weather during Three-Day Trip.**

The weather around the summit of Camel's Hump proved to be decidedly chilly to the four Burlington boys who made a trip there last week. It was so extremely cold that the boys were lucky to escape with the small souvenirs that they have, some frozen feet and fingers. A thermometer in the camp at one time registered 32 below zero, and a bottle of spirits, taken in case of emergency, was frozen solid in one of the boy's pockets.

#### TELEGRAPHY

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Wanted to buy a \$5,000 Farm and Settle Down.

Manufacture of Hair Tonic and Eggs—less Custard Pie Other Schemes of Young Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford.

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It was shortly before seven o'clock Friday morning that Officer George Fraser of the local police force departed for Montpelier to return with Emery, a youth of less than 21 years, to this city, where he is to be arraigned on the charge of "willfully, falsely, feloniously and deceitfully making and forging several checks," the total of which was given out Friday as being in the neighborhood of \$2,000, the exact amount being as yet undetermined. On the way to the Capital City, the local officer was met by State's Attorney Martin, who accompanied him to the Washington county jail for the prisoner, and thence to this city.

Young Pepin was at work in a U. P. Tea company's store in Montpelier when he was arrested by the chief of police. He seemed not at all perturbed over his predicament when locked up, but it was learned Friday that he had not slept well all night, neither had he tasted food of any kind since his arrest. At the institution he would admit nothing when questioned by the authorities there, nor would he say anything convicting to the local officer and the State's attorney, until he was closely questioned after his arrival here, which was at four o'clock.

Finally, and slowly but surely Emery acknowledged that he had forged several checks, with the ostensible purpose in view of purchasing a \$5,000 farm in Champlain, N. Y., near the Canadian boundary line, where he was to settle down.

This \$5,000, he said, was to be gained by forging checks on local people, two of them being D. McMahon, a local baker, and Fred Carpenter, a local dealer in butter and eggs. The method he had employed was to mail the checks to the Howard National bank in this city or the Champlain National bank in Winoski. Later, Emery planned to call for an acknowledgment of the amounts deposited in these banks. This forthcoming, he was to ask the bank officials to mail a check for the amount so deposited to a Canadian bank at Lacolle, P. Q., known as a bank of commerce.

Once there, and it was said Friday that two such checks were already on the way, Young Pepin's purpose was to purchase the farm across the lake.

The thought of his being apprehended while in the act of doing the illegitimate business apparently never entered the young man's mind, and his youthful face broke into smiles time and time again, as his iniquitous doings were unfolded by the State's attorney. One check Mr. McMahon said Friday was mailed to an essence house in New York. This was for the sum of \$500. The apparent purpose of Emery had in mind in purchasing this check, it is alleged, was to purchase vanilla, the root of vanilla. With these crystals Emery was to scent a hair tonic, which he was to manufacture. This new hair grower once placed on the market, Emery was to add to his sum total in the Canadian bank, providing of course it found a ready market.

Another scheme which it is alleged Emery had up his sleeve to out-beat "Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford," in his eagerness to make money, was to inaugurate a new novelty in this city, in the shape of a custard pie without eggs. The boy's relatives were of the opinion Friday that he had been in correspondence with some patent office in one of the larger cities, and that they were urging the boy to start in the eggless-custard pie business. That they were "milk" him for all the money they could get, was their opinion.

The pie plan was to be situated on Henry street, but when it was put into operation was not known. There appear to be good grounds for the opinion that Pepin is slightly demented, and there is knowledge of his spending much time in the past in the pursuit of patents that would be the means he thought of putting him on easy street for the remainder of his days.

A cleaner living youth never was in the employ of Mr. Carpenter said Friday, to a relative. He added that he could not have been more surprised if some personal friend stabbed him in the back than he was when confronted with the forgery of his own name on a check at the Howard National bank by the young lad. He said that on numerous occasions he had sent Pepin to the bank with sums of money, at one time as much as \$500.

The same opinion was expressed in

WELCOME TO 1918.

Large Parties at Two Hotels Greet the Little New Year.

Nineteen hundred and eighteen received a noisy welcome at two of Burlington's hotels Monday night, large parties gathering during the evening at the New Sherwood Hotel and Hotel Vermont. At the latter place the tables in the dining room were pushed to the sides of the room, leaving the center for dancers, who kept time to the music of a large orchestra from 9:30 until after midnight. A supper was served in a car, and at 11:45 paper horns and other noise-producing articles were distributed. At midnight the room was darkened and a large transparency at one end of the room bearing the figures 1917 was transformed into the figure 1918, while the orchestra played the "Star Spangled Banner."

AT THE NEW SHERWOOD.

Resplendent with elaborate color decoration schemes and novelties in lighting and shading effects; talent whose names shine in the white lights of Broadway, counted among the guests a delightful menial served as an attraction which drew several hundred people to the New Sherwood Hotel to witness the passing out of old 1917 and to welcome the incoming of 1918. The talent included Misses at the New York City leader in the ballet of "Very Good Eddie" and a danseuse of national reputation; Miss L. Hazel Childs of Boston, a singer of superior qualities; Miss Jane Golding, prominent member of the Venetian musicians, contributing gypsy violin selections; Leo Ryan, Burlington's classic entertainer, leading the cabaret folk; and Mordellia, truly a master of the accordion and a pianist of rare sense of touch; a large band of musicians furnishing an added musical attraction.

GET PRISON SENTENCES.

Emery Pepin Pleads Guilty to Forgery and "Willie" Thomas to Robbery.

Ten cases were disposed of in city court Monday by Judge J. T. Stearns, thus making the last day of the old year one of the busiest in city court circles in several months.

The cases of Emery and George Pepin of this city, charged with uttering fraudulent checks, excited the most interest of any that were taken up. Emery, the first of the brothers on the stand, waived his right to a jury trial and was committed to the March term of county court. He was ordered committed to jail, in default of \$500 bonds. Later he was brought into court to answer to an information filed against him by the State's attorney, pleading guilty to the charge. He was thereupon sentenced to the State's prison at Windsor, to serve not less than one year nor more than two years at hard labor. The case of George, the other brother, was nolle prosequi because the State's attorney was satisfied the young man had no hand in the forgery.

"Willie" Thomas, the colored man who has been confined in the county jail for the last few weeks on the charge of robbing a Williston man of a sum of money while the latter was lunching in Sam Bergman's lunch care on Main street, was in to answer to an information filed against him by the State's attorney, following the acceptance of his plea of guilty by the court, he was sentenced to not less than eight nor more than 18 months at hard labor at the house of correction in Rutland to the March term of county court.

Two night walkers were the next to be arraigned. Myrtle Henahan and Melina Rouse, both of this city. The Henahan girl paid a fine of \$25.00, but the Rouse girl, being not being so fortunate in raising the sum of \$25.00, were taken to Rutland Tuesday by Sheriff Allen to spend the last 192 days of the new year at hard labor.

Other live respondents were found guilty on intoxication charges. They are Joseph Shepard of South Burlington, fined \$5 and costs of \$7.50; Peter Villamora of this city, \$5 and \$7.50; Archie DeForge of this city, \$15 and \$20; George Jackson of this city, 30 days in jail; and Thomas Piche of Winoski, who paid a fine of \$15 and costs of \$3.50.

K. OF C. WAR WORK.

Vermont's Share in Drive Beginning January 20 Is \$50,000.

On January 20 the Knights of Columbus will begin a ten days' drive to secure \$50,000 for war work.

The drive will be made in the United States and abroad. The \$50,000 will be a part of the \$100,000 which the organization will endeavor to obtain for relief work during the year 1918.

Vermont's share of the first \$50,000 is \$5,000, and Thursday in Rutland at an entire day's meeting of the order, consisting of about 40 prominent men from over the State, general plans for the campaign were laid down.

Directors will be put in charge of counties or districts in the State while the campaign is being made. The direction of local organizations which will be in every town and city in the State. The central committee, which will have charge of the whole State, will meet in Burlington.

It is planned to carry on an extensive advertising and speaking campaign to help in raising the funds. There probably will be no tag day or any such method employed but the public will be acquainted with just what the War Work Council of the Knights of Columbus are accomplishing by way of assisting the soldiers.

LAW IS LACKING.

Aldermen Unable to Abate Taxes of Soldiers and Sailors.

No action taken, is the outcome of the special meeting of the city council and the city assessors held Thursday in the city council room in the city hall for the purpose of abating taxes. The matter was, however, left with a committee of three, of which Alderman E. A. Luck is chairman and Aldermen J. Lindley Hall and Charles E. Peck are the other members. This committee will meet with the board of assessors and go over the list of names presented and report at a special meeting to be called later.

It was 7:30 o'clock when the meeting was called to order by Mayor Jackson, and every member of the council was present except Alderman Wakefield, who is now outside the State and in the army. Two members of the board of assessors also were present, P. O. Beaupre and Van A. Dyer, the absent one being A. L. Barrows.

There was considerable discussion as to whether soldiers and sailors who were now serving their country were entitled to have their taxes abated. There are slightly over 100 from this city.

Apparently there is no law to cover this matter, and City Attorney Hamilton S. Peck was of the opinion that the question is one that should be decided at the next session of the Legislature.

Two other taxpayers put in an appearance to voice their indignation at the taxes they were assessed to pay, but they were instructed that their particular grievances should be brought up before a regular meeting of the board later. The men, Frank Beeman of Catherine street and J. P. Parks of the southern part of the city, promised that this would be done.

Constable James S. Denning had a tabulated list of people who have departed, with all the possible information he could get to them. He told the members he would be glad of any light they could throw on the whereabouts of those on the delinquent list and begged that he be told of their present places of abode, if such a thing was possible.

## PEPIN ADMITS HIS GUILT

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#### JOHNSON-HARMON.

Miss Janet M. Harmon Bride of John D. Johnson of Washington, D. C.

Shelburne, Dec. 30.—The marriage of Miss Janet McRobert Harmon, daughter of Mrs. Sophia B. Harmon, and John D. Johnson, in the United States consular service, son of Mrs. Vesta Johnson of Washington, formerly of Swanton, took place here last evening at eight o'clock at Trinity Church, which was beautifully decorated. The Rt. Rev. George Y. Bliss performed the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. George Brush, rector of the church.

The bride wore a gown of white satin, with silver lace. Her veil of tulle was held by a lace cap and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

Her attendants were the Misses Harriette C. Bliss and Katharine S. Doy of Burlington. They wore gowns of yellow satin with gold lace, and gold lace hats. They carried bouquets of white snapdragons, yellow narcissi, and mignonette.

The groom had Arthur Stevens of Washington as his best man. The ushers were H. M. Drennan, F. J. Hendee and W. H. Linley.

The wedding marches were played by the church organist, Earl Braman.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride. The rooms were decorated with evergreen and poinsettias. In the dining room those who assisted were Mrs. Arthur Stevens of Washington, Mrs. H. M. Drennan of St. Albans, Mrs. Sanders, Mrs. Mitchell, Miss Elizabeth Kelley and Miss Collamer of Shelburne, and Miss Mary Bliss of Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson left in the evening for Washington. The bride's going away suit was of grey, and she wore a black hat.

Mr. Johnson is a graduate of the Harvard Law school. Miss Johnson was educated here and attended for a year or two of the Teachers' College at Columbia. They received many presents.

Those from out of town who attended the wedding, in addition to those already mentioned, were the groom's mother, from Washington, Mrs. H. M. Drennan, and guests from Burlington.

#### A PROVIDENCE WEDDING.

(From Friday's Providence, R. I. Journal.)

A quiet family wedding took place yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Robinson on Stimson avenue, when their only daughter, Miss Louise Kingsley Robinson, was married to Edward Carter Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Palmer.

The house was simply decorated with Christmas greens. The bride, who had no attendants, was accompanied by her father, and Mr. Palmer was attended by Howard Baker. The ceremony was performed at 3:30 o'clock by the Rev. Frank E. Butler, assistant pastor of the Central Congregational Church.

Later, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer left for a short wedding journey, and when they return will live for a few months at 133 Bowen street.

The Palmer family were former residents of and have many friends in Burlington.

#### THE NEWSPAPER MEN.

Annual Meeting of Vermont Press Association Postponed a Week.

At the suggestion of President John M. Thomas of Middlebury College, the annual meeting of the Vermont Press association, which is to be held at the college buildings, has been postponed one week, January 15 and 16 being the dates now fixed. Talcott Williams, head of the Putney School of Journalism, and N. A. Huse, vice-president of the American Press association, will be there, and M. E. Stone, general manager of the Associated Press has been invited. President Thomas will also speak.

The first session will be held at two o'clock on the afternoon of Friday, the 18th, and at six o'clock the members of the craft will be called from labor to refreshment, in the college dining room. The evening meeting will be with the faculty and students of the college, probably in the chapel, and the student organizations will provide the entertainment. Saturday morning there will be another business session, including the election of officers, and all will be over at 11:30 o'clock in time to get a bite to eat and take trains north and south.

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## POULTRY IN VERMONT

### Extension Service Plans to Increase Its Production.

Lectures to Be Given in Halls, Granges and Schools and Pamphlets to Be Distributed through Grain Dealers.

Plans are being made by the University of Vermont extension service department to greatly increase the production of poultry in Vermont during this year. Three poultry specialists, Professor H. A. D. Leggett, instructor of poultry husbandry, A. P. Beach, assistant emergency demonstration agent, and R. F. Allen, United States Department of Agriculture representative in Vermont and New Hampshire, will devote their time to the work and various agencies about the State will be asked to co-operate.

Poultry lectures in halls, granges, schools and pamphlets distributed through grain dealers will assist in the plans for increased production. Advice will be given regarding all phases of the poultry industry and a list of dependable breeders will be maintained so that any one wishing to get started with some good stock can readily find out where it may be obtained.

The poultry department of the United States department of agriculture at Washington is prepared to aid the local extension force with an abundance of publicity material and will keep them posted on the latest developments in the poultry industry.

At the great New York poultry show, held last week at Madison Square Garden in New York City, it was noted by Agent Beach, who represented the Extension service in Vermont, that there was only one entry from Vermont, but that one was good enough to secure second prize. It was a pen of Buff Plymouth Rocks. There are many poultry men in the State who have stock enough to produce all sorts of prizes and they should be entered in the shows.

There were more than 4,000 birds on exhibition and from all the Eastern States and Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin, Kansas, Iowa, California, Texas and Canada. From the latter country there were great many entries and they took a goodly share of the awards when the judging was over.

The exhibition included almost all of the standard breeds of poultry found in American, Mediterranean, English, Polish, Hamburg, Continental and Oriental classes as well as all kinds of bantams, ducks, geese and turkeys. The pigeon department occupied a large amount of space and there G. D. Tilley of Connecticut exhibited more than 50 varieties of ornamental fancy pigeons.

All the latest poultry appliances were shown, including a new egg crate filler which the inventor claims will help avoid part of the \$25,000 loss that annually occurs from eggs broken in shipment. New feed hoppers have been designed to prevent waste of grain as well as a new style of incubator designed to economize on space and heat. A new colony brooder stove has been perfected which burns kerosene and would well be adapted to Vermont conditions.

While the show was in session a series of educational lectures were given. Among them was one by Harry M. Lemon, head of poultry husbandry in the United States department of Agriculture, who spoke on "The Government's Program to Increase Egg Production." W. G. Krumboltz, extension poultry specialist from Cornell University, gave a series of lectures on wartime feeding, selection of breeding stock, culling flocks, etc., and preparation for marketing poultry. Professor Lewis of the New Jersey Station gave lectures on "War Emergency Measures for Poultry Keepers." Professors Rice, Kent and Benjamin from Cornell University also spoke.

#### HAWLEY AN EMPLOYEE.

Recent University Graduate in Petrograd Bank That Floures in Revolution.

A telegraphic despatch to this city Saturday announced that the Bolsheviks in Petrograd had arrested the manager of the National City bank of New York. The despatch further stated that the men were later released. Some people in this city and vicinity may be interested to know that Reginald G. Hawley of Jericho, a nephew of Mrs. C. H. Mower of this city, is an employee in the branch bank, having departed from New York for the Russian capital with other college students last August.

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### Sick Women

To do your duty during these trying times your health should be your first consideration. These two women tell how they found health.

Hellam, Pa.—"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for female troubles and a displacement. I felt all run down and was very weak. I had been treated by a physician without results, so decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and felt better right away. I am keeping house since last April and doing all my housework, where before I was unable to do any work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is certainly the best medicine a woman can take when in this condition. I give you permission to publish this letter."—Mrs. E. R. CRUMLING, R. No. 1, Hellam, Pa.

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